

## LOCAL NEWS.

**ST. THOMAS' MANOR AND THE CHAPEL AND THE CHURCH AT CHAPEL POINT, MD. DESTROYED BY FIRE.**—We regret to learn that the ancient colonial manor house of St. Thomas' Manor, at Chapel Point, Charles county, Md., together with its old chapel, and the more modern church edifice connected with it, have been destroyed by fire; the particulars of which we have not learned. The manor house was built, we believe, in 1733, or thereabouts, and the chapel contained a relic of the times when Maryland was not as free in matters of conscience as her founders made her, for from it, to a neighboring valley, there was a secret subterranean passage, for the escape of the priest, if surprised by the agents of the law, while celebrating Mass. Had the buildings been fully insured, the loss of so fine a specimen of colonial architecture, and so interesting a memorial of colonial times, would have been a great loss to the people of the county and the State; but there was not a cent of insurance on the thousands of its value, and as so large and elegant a mansion is not now needed at that point, St. Thomas', as a seat of Baronial hospitality, is probably numbered with the things of the past.

**THE LECTURE TO-NIGHT.**—The day is bright and promises a fine night for the lecture. Our readers will remember that it takes place at Liberty Hall, at 7 1/2 o'clock, and that tickets may be had at French's, Entwistle, and Bell's Bookstores, the Mansion House, and at the door. It is hoped there will be a full turnout of the young folks and not a few of the old. Liberty Hall will be thoroughly warmed, and made comfortable. The subject of the lecture—Love—is most attractive, and the reputation of the lecturer, as a humorist, is not surpassed in the State, if in the South. The times are gloomy enough, particularly in Alexandria, where there are absolutely no amusements, and we advise all who would enjoy a hearty laugh, and drive dull care away for an hour or so, by all means to visit Liberty Hall to-night, and not to fail to take their sweethearts with them. Let us give the Doctor a bumper.

**HOME TRADE.**—We hope that the statements made by a correspondent to to-day's Gazette, relative to running off to Washington, to buy goods in that city, to the injury of our own dealers and merchants, may be exaggerated. We do not like to think that our own people, who can buy as cheap goods here as they can in Washington, can be so derelict of duty as to act in this manner. It is contrary to interest, to good policy, and, we repeat, to duty. No place can thrive if home business is not encouraged. Everything that can be bought at home, should be purchased here. Our merchants should be encouraged. We must stand by each other. The "shopping" should be done here, and the "bundles" made up at our stores. The Ladies, especially, should set a patriotic example in this respect. They can do much in this matter.

**AN APPEAL FOR THE POOR.** is hardly necessary in this community, where there is always shown so much charity and active benevolence. We shall, therefore, not attempt it; but simply state, that our information leads us to believe that there is more suffering and want, in this place, at this time, amongst several who are almost ashamed to beg, and who would conceal, if they could, their destitution, than is generally supposed. Wood is scarce, clothing is scant, food is not abundant, with these children of poverty. We bring these cases to the notice of our citizens, and especially to the ladies, who are always foremost in every good word and work, that they may excite the sympathy of those able and willing to give.

**THE POOR.**—We have been requested to suggest that it would probably be a good plan for such of our citizens who know of cases of destitution, to leave names, places of residence, &c., at the Mayor's office; and the Mayor could then communicate the information to benevolent persons wishing to bestow charity, or to the charitable societies connected with the Churches.

**SLEIGHING.**—For several days and nights past sleighing has been much indulged in, the ground being hard frozen, and well covered with snow. A correspondent asks two questions—"1st. Is sleighing expensive?—2d. Is money plenty?" To the first we answer, that we have no knowledge whatever as to the cost. To the second, as far as our experience goes, emphatically, No!

**I. O. O. F.**—The following officers of Potomac Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 38, were elected for the next six months, on Friday night last, and will be installed to-night, at the Lodge Rooms: Wm. T. Mitchell, Noble Grand; Thomas Dobbie, Vice Grand; Wesley Avery, Recording Secretary; Hugh Latham, Permanent Secretary; James H. Devaughn, Treasurer; Thomas Whittington, Chaplain.

**RED MEN.**—Oscoda Tribe, No. 1, I. O. R. M., have elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Wm. A. Sisson, Sachem; William Owens, Senior Sagamore; Hugh Latham, Junior Sagamore; ———— "Chief of Records; B. O. Milburn, Keeper of Wampum; James Swann, Prophet.

**FATAL ACCIDENT.**—Mr. Perkins, an employee in the dyeing establishment of Mr. Drew, in Washington, about half-past five o'clock yesterday afternoon, was knocked down and killed by a runaway horse while crossing from the south to the north side of the Avenue, on Tenth street.

**THE WEATHER.** this morning, was sufficiently cold—but it was much more moderate than it was yesterday morning. The sun shone out to-day brightly. All accounts agree that the cold was more intense yesterday from 4 to 8 o'clock, A. M., than it has been before, this winter.

**THE ICE HARVEST.**—The proprietors of the various ice houses, in and around the city, are busily engaged in preparing for the "ice harvest." We notice that one or two of the houses are being filled with ice of six and eight inches thick, taken from Hunting Creek.

**A THAW** commenced to-day. The warm rays of the sun made a sensible impression upon the snow. The weather, "overhead," was very fine.

**THE W. & A. RAILROAD.**—Yesterday Judge Wylie rendered a decision in the cases of Joseph Davidson et al., vs. Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown Railroad Company et al., and Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown Railroad Company vs. D. Randolph Martin et al., which were heard before him several weeks since. The decision of the Court is as follows: That J. H. Lathrop, Esq., appointed receiver, with authority to take possession of the corporate seal of the said company; also, of the railroad bed, the rolling stock, the depots, and all other property, whether real or personal, belonging to said railroad company, or appurtenant to the said road.

It was also ordered that he shall proceed to operate said road according to his best discretion for the benefit of all parties having an interest therein. That after reserving in hand a sufficient sum to pay the salaries or wages of the persons whom he may find it necessary to employ in operating said road, and for meeting other expenses attendant upon the same, he shall make deposit from time to time of the surplus in his hands in some responsible bank or banking house of the city of Washington to the credit of the suits, and shall once every month, or oftener if so required by the court, present to the court his account as receiver, verified by his on affidavit and such other vouchers as may be lawfully required; but before entering upon the discharge of his said functions, the said J. H. Lathrop shall first file his bond in a penalty of fifty thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties as receiver.

It was further ordered that all of the above named defendants do surrender up to the said J. H. Lathrop, all the books, papers, property, &c., of the said company, of which the said receiver has been authorized to take and have the possession, and were further ordered not to exercise any authority, control, management, or direction over the organization or the election of officers for said company or over the affairs of said company or the property thereof, until the further orders of the court.—*Washington Star.*

**ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.**—An old and valued subscriber, from a neighboring county, in renewing his subscription, interrupted by the war—writes us these kind words, which are very grateful. They are a New Year's Gift, which we prize:

"For more than twenty years, even when we differed on the political questions of the day, I was a subscriber to the Gazette. Now that those differences have ceased to exist—have been buried with the past—and we think alike on the grave issues of the day, it is with increased pleasure, that I renew my subscription. I would have done so sooner, had I been able. I wish the Gazette a wide influence and great prosperity."

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**  
MANSION HOUSE—*Madame & Son Proprietors.*—J. Harding, Baltimore; J. M. Roane, Spotsylvania; J. E. Moberly, L. S. Davis, Baltimore; Powell Harrison, Staunton; R. B. Buck, Loudoun; John O. Bradford, R. M. Bentley, Loudoun; H. A. Hall, W. M. Royall, Fauquier; Dr. Edwin Barclay, Culpeper; John M. Orr, Leesburg; Richard N. Johnson, Albemarle; Charles C. Moore, O. & A. R. R.; V. Dabney, Middleburg; O. B. Brook, Md.; H. A. Bowman, O. & A. R. R.; Wm. W. Mead, and lady, C. J. Coleman, Miss Bettie Mead, Leesburg; T. A. Walthall, Bristol Tenn.; R. B. Ewan, Southern Trans. Co.; Mercer Slaughter, O. & A. R. R.

**CITY HOTEL.**—Robert J. Rainey, Proprietor. A. Lynch, Virginia; J. M. Rollins, Thomas Birch, James Adams, Loudoun; A. L. Gibson, Alexandria; J. W. Bird, Loudoun; William Fitzhugh, Fairfax; J. W. Bond, Orange; V. W. Lemon, Ohio; Charles Kelley, Virginia; Joseph Pridmore, Augusta; Leonidas Smith, Indiana; James Tucker, Tennessee;

## COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET—January 4.		
Flour, Superfine.....	\$11 50	13 00
do Extra.....	11 00	12 25
do Family.....	10 00	11 50
Grain, Wheat, White, prime.....	2 80	3 00
do good.....	2 40	2 70
do Red, prime.....	2 60	2 80
do good.....	2 40	2 60
Corn, White.....	0 80	0 90
Mixed.....	0 80	0 90
Yellow.....	0 85	0 90
Corn Meal.....	0 45	0 50
Oats.....	0 40	0 45
Rye.....	0 90	1 00
Apples Dried per lb.....	0 08	0 10
do Green " ".....	0 08	0 10
Irish Potatoes.....	0 50	0 75
Seed, Flax.....	2 00	3 00
Plaster 100 lbs.....	1 50	1 75
Manure, Lamp, delivered on the ground.....	5 00	5 75
do do.....	4 00	4 75
Salt, Ground Alum.....	2 25	2 50
do Turf's Island, from store.....	3 15	3 25
Wool, Common Unwashed.....	0 25	0 26
do Washed.....	0 40	0 45
Common Merino.....	0 40	0 45
do Washed Merino.....	0 50	0 55
Butter, prime.....	0 30	0 35
do inferior to middling.....	0 15	0 20
Eggs.....	20 00	25 00
Bacon, Hams, prime.....	0 18	0 22
do Plain Hams.....	0 18	0 20
do Sides.....	0 13	0 14
do Shoulders.....	0 12	0 13
Lard.....	0 13	0 14
Beans, white.....	2 00	2 50
do Navy.....	2 25	2 50
Chestnuts.....	4 50	0 00
Hay, per ton, from the cars.....	20 00	25 00
Whiskey.....	2 10	6 00
Peruvian Guano.....	50 00	0 00

**REMARKS.**—There was more activity at the close of the week, and the market is firm, with light stocks. There has been very little change in prices. Considerable activity has been manifested in Corn, with large sales. Flour is steady and Wheat firm. The receipts of produce are confined to the railroad, navigation being entirely suspended. Pork is in good supply, and is selling at \$39 50 per 100 lbs for dressed hogs. Butter has improved, and prime is in demand at 30 1/2c.

**BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET,** January 3.—Prices to-day ranged as follows: Scalawags \$4 50; common Cattle \$5 50; \$5 50; Stock Cattle \$5 50; good \$7 25; and some extra heavy at \$9 per 100 lbs, with but very few at the latter figure.

**Sheep.**—There is a light supply in market, but the demand is limited; sales this week at 5 1/2c per lb gross.

**Hogs.**—The supply is light; packers not in market the past few days; sales to butchers at \$5 1/2c per 100 lbs net, as to quality.

The amount of gold in the Treasury is \$99,800,000, of which \$18,000,000 is held on certificates, and the balance belonging to the government. The Treasury is now disbursing the \$1,000,000 for interest on gold bonds due Jan. 1.

**BARGAINS!** BARGAINS!  
Wholesale Corsets, of all sizes, both white and colored, warranted genuine wholesale; also Ladies' and Misses' Hooped and Balmoral Skirts, just received, and will positively be sold at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine, as you are sure to procure a bargain, at  
C. C. BERRY'S,  
No. 72, King street.  
oc 15—

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK, ALEXANDRIA.**—The annual election for eight directors of this Bank, on TUESDAY, January 8, 1887, at 10 o'clock, A. M., will be held at the Banking Room, on TUESDAY, January 8, 1887. CHAS. R. HOOPER, Cashier.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**S. DEALHAM, No. 106, KING STREET,** having an extraordinary large stock of GENTS' AND YOUTHS' WINTER CLOTHING, AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS on hand, is selling them off at cost until further notice. Positively one price only. jan 3—

All persons having business with the Sheriff may find him at his office, over the Market, and adjoining the old Court-room, during the usual hours of business. de 31-3t

**NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.**—There will be a discount of 25 per cent allowed on all tax-bills paid in current funds to the Corporation of Alexandria, up to the 1st day of January 1887; after that date the collectors will proceed to recover the same in the manner prescribed by law, viz: distraint.

WESLEY AVERY,  
JAMES FOSSETT,  
Collectors.

**1867 GREAT REDUCTION 1867**  
IN DRY GOODS,  
AT M. TAYLOR & CO'S.,  
No. 42, Centre Market Space,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.,

Who are now selling their entire stock of LADIES' DRESS GOODS,  
BLACK LYONS VELVETS,  
BLACK & COLORED

CLOAKING CLOTHS,  
(in velvet, Plain Beaver, Chinchilla, Astrakhan, Moscow and Erased Beaver),  
NEW BEAUTEFUL CLOTH CLOAKS,  
SHAWLS, BLACK  
AND FANCY SILKS,  
AND MOURNING GOODS of every description, at an immense reduction in price, in some cases at almost the gold cost.

We have also just purchased a large stock of Domestic Goods at the late decline in prices, which we are selling very cheap.

Persons in want of first-class Dry Goods, at low prices, will please call early and get the choice. WASHINGTON, Jan. 1st

## DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

We the undersigned have this day dissolved co-partnership by mutual consent. T. A. BREWIS, will close up the business of the concern, and continue the business under the same style as heretofore. T. A. BREWIS,  
A. LAWSON.

**NOTICE.**—All parties having claims against the firm of T. A. BREWIS & CO., will please present the same to the undersigned immediately, and all parties owing the same will please make immediate payment. T. A. BREWIS & CO.  
January 1, 1887. jan 2-tf  
(Leesburg Washingtonian & Warrenton Index.)

**FOR RENT—HOUSE,** No. 102, Cameron street, Alexandria, from January 1st, 1887, containing about twenty rooms, with garden, stable and out houses attached. Rent \$200. Address W. C., "Star" office, Washington, D. C. de 26—

**BRADLEY'S**  
DUPLIC ELLIPTIC  
STEEL SPRING

The best in use, received and for sale by  
CHARLES W. GREEN  
No. 68, King st.  
nov 26-4f

**BOARD—GENTLEMEN** desiring DAY BOARD, can be accommodated by applying to Mrs. N. W. BAGGARDY, at No. 273, KING STREET. A few can be accommodated with LODGING. Transient customers also desired. de 27-tf

**ENAMEL OF AMERICA!**  
And Hagan's Magnolia Balm, for beautifying the complexion; also, a large assortment of Hair, Nail and Shaving Brushes, Pomades, Perfumery, &c., just received and for sale by  
WARFIELD & HALL,  
Corner Prince and Fairfax sts.  
de 29—

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK.**—A semi annual dividend of eight (8) per cent, free of tax, will be paid to the stockholders on the 31st January next. By order of the Board: de 29-3t  
CHAS. E. HOOPER, Cashier.

**STRAWBERRY PLANTS,** &c.—5000 Strawberry Plants, just received from the most reliable nurserymen. Also, daily expected to arrive, Grape Vines, Raspberries, Blackberries, and fruit trees, in proper season for planting. HENRY COOK,  
39, King st.  
sep 10—

**HOUSEHOLD BLESSING.**

**UNION WASHING MACHINE**  
AND WRINGER,  
constantly on hand and for sale by  
THOMAS PERRY, Agent,  
No. 8, Prince st.  
just 4—

**JUST RECEIVED.**—A fresh supply of BUTTER and EGGS, LARD and DRIED APPLES, from Loudoun county, for sale by  
J. M. MORTIMER, MEAT POWERS, Founders, and a variety of other Christmas goods.  
J. T. SHERWOOD,  
de 22— Corner Queen and St. Asaph sts.

**JUST RECEIVED.**—Brown's Essence Jamaica Ginger, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Seltzer's Arnica Balm, Hall's Hair Renewer, Mustang Liniment, Burnett's Coughing and Sore Throat Syrup, and a variety of other Christmas goods.  
WARFIELD & HALL, Druggists,  
No. 24— Corner Prince & Fairfax streets.

**REFINED SALT PETRE,** Super Carb Soda, in kegs; Putty, in bladders; Window Glass, assorted sizes; Pure Sperm Oil, Machine Oil, Lewis Pure White Lead, Linseed Oil, Coal Oil, Concentrated Lye, English Mustard, Spices of all kinds, just received and for sale by  
HENRY COOK,  
29, King street.  
nov 28-4f

**CATTLE.**—Ten or fifteen head of cattle will be taken care of for the winter on a farm located on the Little River Turnpike, about five and a half miles from this city. Apply to  
JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,  
de 21-eo-3t cor. King & Royal sts., Alex.

**NOTICE.**—F. H. HARRISON, FORMERLY keeping the Restaurant, will open a WOOL AND SHEEP-SKIN BUSINESS, at the corner of Queen and Union streets—Wheat's building, Nos. 10 and 12. de 17-tf

**CHOICE BREAKFAST PIECES, HAMS** and C. SHOULDERS, just received and for sale by  
H. A. KIRK, HUGH,  
cor. of Pitt and Prince sts.  
nov 26-4f

**A. M. JANNEY'S FAMILY AND EXTRA FLOUR,** for sale by  
THOMAS PERRY,  
No. 8, Prince st.  
dec 18-4f

**DIAMOND SYRUP.**—A very beautiful and delicious Syrup, received to-day, and for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN.  
no 17—

**BARGAINS.**—Bargains in Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, Calicoes and Dress Goods, at  
WITMER & SLAYMAKER.  
no 22—

**STOVE POLISH.**—of the very best quality—giving a beautiful silvery lustre with half the labor of the ordinary kind in use, for sale by  
HENRY COOK,  
39 and 224, King street.  
ec 17—

**LIQUORS.**—A choice and selected stock of Liquors, comprising Brandy, Whiskies, Gin, Jamaica Spirits, Madeira, Port and Sherry Wines, &c., received to-day, and for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN,  
Opposite the Market.  
dec 10—

**SARATOGA WATER.**—20 dozen of Saratoga Water, just received and for sale by the case at low quantity. HENRY COOK,  
39, King street.  
sep 14-tf

**CIDER VINEGAR.**—A good article of VINEGAR for sale by J. C. MILBURN,  
cor. Cameron & Royal sts.,  
opposite the Market.  
aug 21-4f

**175,000 NORTH CAROLINA SHINGLES,** per Sch. Austria, for sale  
SMOOTH & PERRY,  
ly 12-4f corner of Union and Cameron sts.

**FISH.**—No. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, Codfish, Hake, Labrador and Smoked Herring, just received and for sale by  
F. G. SWANE,  
nov 25-tf

## AMUSEMENTS.

**DR. BAGBY'S LECTURE.**  
"THE DISEASE CALLED LOVE,"  
AT LIBERTY HALL,  
FRIDAY, JANUARY 4TH, AT 7 P. M.  
Admission fifty cents.  
Tickets at Bell's, French's, Entwistle's and the Mansion House. jan 2-4f

**WALL'S NEW OPERA HOUSE**  
BERRY & WALL, Proprietors.  
H. B. PHILLIPS, Stage Manager

**FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 4.**  
CHANGING OF TIME.  
Doors open at 7 1/2; performances at 7 3/4 precisely.

To-night Boucicault's Great Play  
"THE LONG STRIKE."  
With all the Scenic and Mechanical Effects.

**P. H. HOOFF,**  
FLOUR, GRAIN  
AND GROCERY MERCHANT,  
No. 35, SOUTH UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Particular attention paid to all consignments. jan 2-tf

**NOTICE.** OFFICE Supt. Police, J. ALEXANDRIA, VA., Jan. 1, 1887.  
All persons are required to keep their houses or places of business clear of ice and snow. The full penalty will be exacted from all offenders.  
JAMES FADELEY,  
Superintendent of Police.

**PRINCIPAL HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS**  
—THREE MILES WEST OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.—Pupils received at any time. For terms and other information, address the rector,  
WM. F. GARDNER,  
Theological Seminary P. O.,  
Fairfax county, Va.  
de 31-1m

**SELLING OFF TO CLOSE.**

**TO OUR FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC!**  
HEAVY DECLINE IN PRICES!  
AT SCHWARTZ & BROWN'S,  
NO. 132, KING STREET.  
Having determined to change our business, at the old stand, by the 1st day of February, 1887, we will sell until that date the entire stock of DRESS, FANCY DOMESTIC  
AND MILLINERY GOODS,  
AT PRIME COST!

All persons in want of BARGAINS are earnestly invited to call and examine for themselves, as the stock will be sold without reserve. We have, also, on hand a large stock of Furs, Black, Cloaks, Shawls, Sattinets and Cassimeres, Hoop Skirts, in variety, Ladies' Hosiery and Gloves, &c., all of which we will sell at cost and under.  
I. SCHWARTZ & BROWN,  
132, King street.  
dec 1-1m

## ATTENTION!

Dress Trimmings and Buttons.  
Corsets.  
Hosiery, Gloves,  
Veils.  
Nets.  
Lace and Linen Collars.  
Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Edgings.  
Sontags.  
Knitting Cottons.  
Yarns.  
Zephyr Worsted.  
Hair Brushes.  
Hair Restorers.  
Combs, Soaps.  
Pressings, &c., all of which I will sell at prices to suit the times.  
C. C. BERRY, 72, King st.  
dec 5-tf

**OPEN THIS DAY!**

**NEW GOODS!**

**GREAT BARGAINS!**

Balmoral Skirts.  
Dress Goods.  
Bleached and Unbleached Cottons.  
Heavy Grey Cloths.  
Blankets, Tuff Flannels.  
Hoop Skirts, Corsets.  
Gloves, Hosiery.  
Shawls, Cloaks.  
Knitting Cottons, Domestic.  
Linen Skirt, Bosoms, with a general assortment of first-class Dry Goods, all of which will be sold at the very lowest price, for cash.  
ROBERT L. WOOD,  
No. 170, King street,  
Under O. & R. R. Office.  
no 22—

**SEASONABLE ARTICLES.**

Burnett's Flavoring Essences or Extracts, Burnett's Cologne, Kallistone's Asthma Remedy, Toilet Cases, Oriental Tooth Wash, Extract Vanilla, Portemonnaies, Fancy Soaps, Kendall's Ambrosine, Sterling's Ambrosine, Superior French Blacking, Upham's Hair Dye, No. 1, Hair Restorer, Toilet Powders, Pomades, Cologne, Preparations for the Hair, Water Colors in Boxes, Hair Brushes, Dressing Combs, Curling Fluid, Hair Glasser, Hagan's Magnolia Balm, Lubin's Extracts, Hair Restorer, Bay Rum, Soudolant, Depilatory Powders, American Wine of Antiquity, Balm of 1,000 Flowers, Thompson's Tooth Soap, Lily White, Hair Brushes, Hair Brushes and Combs; all the different varieties of Hair Restorers, Lyon's Kathairon, &c., for sale by  
HENRY COOK,  
39 and 224, King st.  
de 22—

**JUST RECEIVED AT**  
C. C. BERRY'S,  
NO. 72, KING STREET.  
CLOAK AND DRESS BUTTONS, Bugle and other trimmings for Dresses, Black and colored Velvet Ribbons, White Cord, and Cord Buttons for Infant's Cloaks, Stamped Embroidery Braids, Knitting Cottons all numbers, White and Colored Yarns, Hosiery in great variety, Lace and Linen Collars, Silk Banding, Kid and other Gloves, Linen Cambric and other articles, which I will sell at reduced prices. no 8—

**MAYNARD, ELY & ROSE,**  
TANNERS, CURRIERS,  
AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF SHOE MANUFACTURERS' GOODS,  
CALF-SKIN AND HEMLOCK, SOLE-LEATHER, MOROCCO & LASTINGS.  
Highest cash price paid for Hides and Skins.  
No. 46 and 48, south Calvert st., Baltimore.  
oct 20-3m

**NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!**

Will open this day a large lot of new and desirable FANCY GOODS and NOTIONS, selected with great care for the Holidays. This will be in daily receipt of New Goods from this date from New York and Baltimore, and will defy competition in style and price. Great variety of additions of BUGLE TRIMMINGS, very stylish and cannot be excelled in cheapness. CHAS. W. GREEN,  
dec 13— No. 08, King st.

**WE HAVE NOW IN STORE** new style HOOP SKIRTS,  
HEAVY RIBBED HOSE,  
SILK MERINO,  
AND WOOLEN GLOVES,  
LADIES' BUCKSKIN GAUNTLETS,  
HEMMED & HEMSTITCHED,  
HANDKERCHIEFS,  
BEST WHOLE BONE CORSETS,  
PAPER COLLARS, &c., &c.  
Call and examine at No. 170, King street, de 28— ROBERT L. WOOD.

**\$10 REWARD.**—Strayed off from a stable in this city, on Saturday night last, a BAY MARE, with a blaze face; hair rubbed off on her sides, by traces. She was traced as far as West End. She came from Occoquan, and went in that direction. I will give the above reward for her recovery, or for information that will lead to my getting her.  
HENRY SELICMAN,  
Occoquan, Pr. William co., Va. de 27-1w

**CHARLESTON GRITS,** just received and for sale by  
HARRIE HUGH,  
nov 25-tf cor. of Pitt and Prince sts.

## STEAMERS, RAILROADS, &amp;c.

**NEW YORK, WASHINGTON, AND ALEXANDRIA EXPRESS LINE STEAMERS.**

**OLD LINE.**  
This line will be regularly kept up during the winter months, by good and substantial OCEAN STEAMERS, leaving once a week, from pier 15, B. River, New York, for Alexandria, connecting at New York with the Metropolitan Steamship Line to Boston, and with the Orange & Alexandria Railroad, at Alexandria.  
Bills of Lading given through to Boston direct.

Freight taken at lowest rates, and forwarded to all parts of the United States free of commissions.  
For freight apply to  
M. ELDRIDGE & CO.,  
104, Wall street, New York.  
JOHN B. DAVIDSON,  
de 26— 63, Water st., Georgetown, D. C.

**ORANGE & ALEXANDRIA R. R.**

On and after SUNDAY, the 16th instant, two daily passenger trains will run between WASHINGTON and LYNCHBURG, the day train connecting at Gordonsville with the train on the Virginia Central Railroad for Richmond, Staunton, &c., and at Lynchburg with the trains on the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad for all the South-west.

Leave Washington daily at 6:30 a. m. and 6:45 p. m. and Alexandria at 7:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 4:30 p. m. and 6:00 a. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 7:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., arriving at Alexandria at 4:45 p. m. and 5:55 a. m., and at Washington at 5:30 p. m